

TWINING TEAM LEADS

Tops Independence League Clubs in Batting.

GEIPEL HAS THE BEST RECORD

Member of Twining Athletic Club, with an average of .520, Leads Individual Hitters of Amateur League, with Flaconer, the Gully Star, a Good Second.

Geipel, of the Twining Athletic Club, leads the Independence League in batting, having made an average of .520 in 19 games. Hope Falconer, the Gully star, has a good claim to second place, having gotten 30 bingles in 23 games.

The Twining Athletic Club leads the league in team standing, with Gully at its heels. The Adverts are behind the leaders by almost a hundred points.

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NINTH STREET SHOMEN.

Railroad Y. M. C. A. League Team Drop Interesting Game.

The Shomen, tied for first place in the Railroad League, were defeated by the Ninth Street team, of the Sunday School League, in an interesting game for the Active grounds, by 7 to 1.

Rupert pitched a good game for the Shomen, but was not supported at critical stages of the game.

Hanna's fielding was the feature.

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HOLDS BASEBALL RECORD.

MORAN HAS GOOD RECORD

Covington (Va.) Pitcher Does Stunts for Home Team.

Wins Twenty-two Games, Loses Three, and Five Were Shut-outs.

Covington, Va., Aug. 22.—Harry Moran, pitcher of the Covington team, is justly proud of his 1928 record, which is the best in the Allegheny region for any twirler outside the ranks of professional baseball. Moran is a slender chap, nearly six feet in height, and weighing about 145 pounds, and is about nineteen years old. His popularity, both on and off the diamond, is very great.

So far this season he has pitched 25 games, has won 22, and lost 3. Sixteen of these games he has pitched for Covington, and the three he lost were one each to Hot Springs and Clifton Forge, Va., and one to Hinton, W. Va.

The average hits made off him each game is less than four.

He has pitched five shut-out games, one no-hit game, two one-hit games, and five two-hit games. He has struck out 27 men and given ten bases on balls.

COVINGTON, 1; HOT SPRINGS, 0.

Special to the Washington Herald.

Moran Lets Losers Down with Only Five Scattered Hits.

Hot Springs, Va., Aug. 22.—Before a large crowd the Covington team defeated Hot Springs, by 1 to 0.

The only run of the game was made in the first inning. Moran, the visiting pitcher, held the locals to five scattered hits.

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BASEBALL NOTES AND COMMENT.

To-morrow's game will be called at 4 o'clock.

The major league clubs have from forty to fifty players on the roster.

Showing the importance of condition and good extra men for every position.

In speaking of George McBride, don't forget the great exhibitions the shortstop put up in the Chicago and St. Louis series.

Ambrose Putnam, the big Louisville slugger whom the Cincinnati Reds may land, holds the season's record for shut-outs in the American Association, with nine to his credit.

When Egan allowed Cobb to score in the third inning, Joe Cantillon emerged from the catcombs and said things to the ump that would not look just right on a Sunday school banner.

In the seventh inning, when Crawford singled with Moloney on second, Clymer made a bluff to throw him, but instead shot the ball to Freeman, who caught Crawford standing still off first.

Eddie Lennox, of Rochester, will get another trial in the majors. This time with Brooklyn. His first try-out was with the Philadelphia Americans, but he failed to measure up to the standard and was let go. He may make good this time.

Although Jerry Freeman will be married to-morrow evening, he has decided to postpone his honeymoon until after the close of the season. Jerry is playing better ball every day and would be greatly missed if he should leave the club at the present time.

Elmer Flick is improving, and may go into right field with him when he gets back home. It is not likely that Terry Turner will be used in the infield again this year. It is Manager Lajoie's intention to give Turner's arm a rest for the present season.

The purchase of these men indicates that Cleveland will not recall Brass and Hill, of the Akron club; Pitcher Pruitt, formerly of Boston and sent to Toledo, of the American Association, or Harry Bay, former star center-fielder, now with Nashville.

The following games have been arranged for the Printers' Baseball Club: Tuesday, with Ninth Street, on Active grounds at 5 p. m.; Thursday, with St. Elizabeth, on the same grounds at 5 p. m.; Tuesday, September 1, with Falls Church, at West End.

Witte and Mathewson will be used by the Giants in the first two games against the Pirates. If a double-header is played to-morrow night, the same will be the case, and whichever one looks the best against the Pittsburghers will be sent right back on Wednesday.

Although Egan's work yesterday was not good, he is still the favorite to win the game. He is known among ball players as one of the squarest men in the business, and his average work is considerably better than that of some of the others who were in the business long before Egan started.

Certain critics have been predicting that the Pittsburgh Pirates were due for a to-bogoban trip. They have been started on the journey, and it is for New York and Philadelphia, which will play Pittsburgh this week, and a few days later the chutes a very speedy one.

Pitcher Durham, of Indianapolis, who has been purchased by the Giants, pitched a good game for his team against Milwaukee, by 3 to 1, yesterday.

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More than 8,000 turned out at the park yesterday.

The Pirates were alone at the top of the National League from July 15 to August 20.

The Giants keep close to the Pirates. New York had no trouble beating the Cincinnati Reds yesterday.

Pittsburgh scouts are said to have advised the local club to grab outfielder Joe Stanley, the Washington boy with Louisville.

In the sixth inning, with Ungaugh on first, Summers made a balk, and Bob moved to second. Rather unusual play for the majors.

Jesse Timmell has pitched two games for Washington since parting with the Boston Red Sox on June 25. About the average work for Jesse—Boston Globe.

How many has Case Patten pitched for Boston?

Jack Thielman, recently secured from Cleveland by the Boston Americans, has been turned over to Toronto. Thielman is a pitcher, and a brother of Harry Thielman, who did such valiant work for Jersey City the year they won the pennant.

In 1907, the Cubs won twelve out of twenty-two games from the Pirates, and sixteen out of twenty-two from the Giants. Here's this season's count: Chicago, with Pittsburgh, 7-30; Chicago with St. Louis, 1-18. Pittsburgh also has it 'on' New York, 3-5.

Jack Knight, the shortstop purchased by the Yankees from Baltimore, is the smallest man playing that position. This right fielder with him was the short field, however, as he is lightning fast, and has been a big factor in the success achieved by the Orioles this season.

"McGraw, Knowles & Mathewson"—that's the way the sign over the door will read the Mackay Building at Thirty-fourth street and Broadway in New York, this fall. The manager, star pitcher, and secretary of the New York club will have within the largest billboard in the city, and a nice little cafe will be run on the side.

An exchange says the following tribute to a Washington boy: "Jake Atz, of the White Sox, is fast climbing into the star class as a fielder, and his playing on the right field is a big factor in the success achieved by the Chicago team. Atz is doing wonders in the fielding line, and hardly a game passes but he is cutting down balls and making phenomenal stops."

In J. Emmett Hedrick, McAleer has a performer who is likely to do for the Browns what Ty Cobb is doing for the Tigers. Hedrick is one of those loose-jointed performers who sprays all over the plate, but who is a real power-hitter. In his batting, he wields the stick like a band master wields a baton, and furthermore, is a better base runner than Cobb when he is in good condition.

With good outfielders for two teams, Manager McAleer is looking for a traveling force by sending home Danny Hoffman and C. Jones, neither of whom has been hitting. The excellent showing of Hedrick and the fact that the Browns have a better outfielder than the Tigers is a good sign for the Browns.

Reports from Nashville are to the effect that the Cardinals are looking for a new pitcher to replace the late Ray. The Cardinals are looking for a pitcher who can hit